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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) 20002.0093								
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows
(check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. | |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>19-5127, Order # 20002.0093</u> .
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. | |

I am the applicant/inventor.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). |
| <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. |
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Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). 47,809.

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